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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

This application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. §119(e) to United States Provisional Application No. 60/419,710, entitled MULTI-PROTOCOL AND MULTI-FORMAT STATEFUL PROCESSING, and is related to United States Patent Application Serial No. 10/211,434, entitled HIGH DATA RATE STATEFUL PROTOCOL PROCESSING.

Transmitted herewith for filing is a U.S. Non-Provisional Utility Patent Application entitled:

MULTI-PROTOCOL AND MULTI-FORMAT STATEFUL PROCESSING

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and including:

- [x] (88) pages of description (before the claims);
- [x] (7) pages of claims ((31) total claims; (3) independent claims);
- [x] One (1) Sheet of Abstract:
- [x] (28) sheets of drawings including Figures 1-30;
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